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Mr. [REDACTED]

I return the attached draft memorandum.

Unless clearance problems forbid revision, I would suggest that the first paragraph be slightly changed to avoid the impression that I personally am reluctant to incorporate comments, that I personally would be agreeable to inserting footnotes, and that I personally have agreed to later consideration.

The paragraph might better read somewhat as follows:

"... I also understand that Mr. 25X1A5a2 25X1X8
25X1X8 [REDACTED] representing you in this matter, has expressed
• reluctance to incorporate these comments in the final text on the ground that
they represent changes of substance, but believes it would be appropriate to
insert footnotes.... Mr. 25X1A5a2 [REDACTED] has also conveyed the willingness of the PSB
staff to secure consideration of CIA's recommended modifications . . ."

This suggestion is based partly on the fact that the Board authorized
the Director to coordinate comments in advance of final issuance of the paper.

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The above is not essential but I think more precise.

Many thanks for your cooperation. 25X1A5a2
[REDACTED]

P.S. As agreed orally, we will insert the
footnotes exactly as you suggest here.